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Honorable Richard B. Russell
United States Senate
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Senator Russell:

I believe that the briefing on 12 April by Agency
representatives of the CIA Subcommittees of the Senate
Armed Services Committee and the Senate Appropriations
Committee served a most useful purpose. As you know,
it is my desire to keep the CIA Subcommittees of the
Congress informed of Agency activities as well as to
provide them with the necessary intelligence background
to assist them in the discharge of their legislative
responsibilities. My hope is to meet with these Sub-
committees at least monthly and more often if you or
other members find it desirable.

Particularly I want to express my appreciation
for the necessary arrangements made by you on short
notice to call the Subcommittee meeting. Your interest
in the work of the Agency and your support and guidance
are most gratifying to me personally.

Sincerely,

(Signed) JOHN A. McCONE

John A. McCone
Director

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Honorable John A. McCone
Director, Central Intelligence Agency
Washington 25, D. C.

MEMORANDUM FOR: **THE DIRECTOR**

Attached is a proposed letter to Senator Russell referring to the briefing on 12 April. Basically I am suggesting this letter to thank Senator Russell for setting up the meeting on short notice particularly since he actually cancelled another scheduled Committee meeting to make room for the Agency's appearance.

Recommend signature.

JOHN S. WARNER
Legislative Counsel
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